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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC, I am currently an AT&T technician in the San Francisco Bay Area and have been for the past 6 years (aprox), and I install repair and install internet, Video and voice services. I was previously and employee of Comcast (Xfinity) Cable for 25 years before they laid me off. I am an excellent person to comment on this subject.

I currently have Sonic FTTH (Gigabit) internet and voice at my home in San Francisco and am very happy with their service. I would have applied for FTTH from AT&T for their internet services but it was not available on my block from AT&T. I would possibly have gone with AT&T, but they were slow on the trigger. They were possibly too busy buying Direct TV & Time Warner. Spending all those Billions must take a considerable amount of time and manpower.

Competition in the Telecom market is EXTREMELY important and benefits the market.

Please do what you can to foster such competition

Name withheld for obvious reasons

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